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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 24, 2006, please enter
the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this
paper.

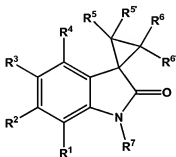
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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously presented) A compound having the formula:



wherein

R¹, R², R³ and R⁴ are members independently selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted aryl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl, OR⁸, NO₂, CN and halogen

wherein

R⁸ is a member selected from H and substituted or unsubstituted alkyl;

R⁵ and R⁶ are members independently selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted aryl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl, CN, SR⁹ and C(O)R⁹

wherein

R⁹ is a member selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted aryl, NR¹⁰R¹¹ and OR¹¹

wherein

R¹⁰ is a member selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl and OR¹²

wherein

R^{12} is a member selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl and substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl;

R^{11} is a member selected from H, $C(O)R^{13}$, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted aryl and substituted or unsubstituted heterocycloalkyl, and wherein R^{10} and R^{11} , together with the nitrogen to which they are bound, are optionally joined to form a substituted or unsubstituted heterocycloalkyl ring system having from 3 to 7 members

wherein

R^{13} is a member selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl and $NR^{14}R^{15}$

wherein

R^{14} and R^{15} are members independently selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl and substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl;

R^6 and R^6 are members independently selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl and $C(O)R^{16}$;

wherein

R^{16} is a member selected from substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted heteroalkyl, $NR^{17}R^{18}$ and OR^{17}

wherein

R^{17} and R^{18} are members independently selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or

unsubstituted heteroalkyl and substituted or unsubstituted
aryl; and

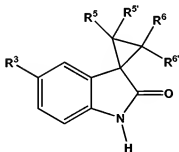
R^7 is a member selected from H, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl and substituted
or unsubstituted heteroalkyl.

2. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 1, wherein at
least one of R^5 and R^5 is a member selected from substituted or unsubstituted phenyl, substituted
or unsubstituted pyridyl, substituted or unsubstituted furanyl, substituted or unsubstituted
benzofuranyl, substituted or unsubstituted quinolinyl, and substituted or unsubstituted thienyl.

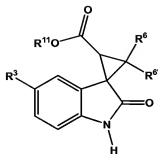
3. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 1, wherein at
least one of R^{10} and R^{11} is substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_6 alkyl.

4. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 1, wherein at
least one of R^6 and R^6 is a member selected from substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_6 alkyl.

5. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 1, having the
formula:

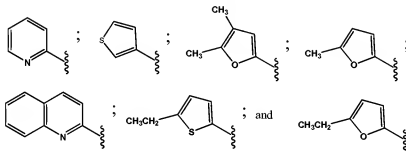


6. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 5, having the formula:



7. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 6, wherein R^{11} is substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_4 alkyl.

8. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 5, wherein at least one of R^5 and $R^{5'}$ is a member selected from substituted and unsubstituted:



9. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 5, wherein R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are independently selected from substituted or unsubstituted methyl and substituted or unsubstituted ethyl.

10. (Previously presented) A pharmaceutical formulation comprising a compound according to claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

11. (Previously presented) A method of inhibiting HIV in a cell, said method comprising contacting said cell with an amount of a compound according to claim 1 sufficient to inhibit said HIV.

1 **12.** (Previously presented) A method of inhibiting reverse transcriptase in a
2 cell, said method comprising contacting said cell with an amount of a compound according to
3 claim 1 sufficient to inhibit said reverse transcriptase.

1 **13.** (Previously presented) The method according to claim 11, wherein said
2 cell is in a human.

1 **14.** (Previously presented) The method according to claim 12, wherein said
2 cell is in a human.

1 **15.** (Previously presented) A method of treating HIV infection in a human
2 subject comprising administering to said subject an amount of a compound according to claim 1,
3 sufficient to treat said HIV infection.

1 **16.** (Previously presented) A method of providing prophylaxis against HIV
2 infection comprising administering a prophylactic amount of a compound according to claim 1 to
3 a person who is at risk of HIV infection.

1 **17.** (Previously presented) The method according to claim 15, wherein said
2 HIV is a drug resistant mutant.